



August 2016

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#### **Business & Networking Events**

Date	Time	Event	Venue	Contact
8/1	8:00 AM	Texas Medical Center: Advances in Tissue Engineering Short Course 2016	BioScience Research Collaborative	gns1@rice.edu
0/2	7:30 AM	Alief Community Association: Quarterly Alief Networking Breakfast	International Trade Center	Marie-lee@sbcglobal.net
8/2	6:00 PM	PartnerUP: PartnerUP App & Digital Networking Event	Kirby Ice House Bar	Network @partnerupapp.com
8/3	7:45 AM	Houston West Chamber of Commerce: Coffee Talk	Houston West Chamber of Commerce	angela@hwcoc.org
8/3	8:30 AM	Empresarios Latinos: Procurement Breakfast	El Alteno Taqueria Restaurant	713-774-5002
8/4	4:00 PM	Houston Technology Center: Tech Champs Midtown Mixer	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
6/4	5:00 PM	Society of Underwater Technology: Networking Event	Vintropolis Wine Bar	Patsyrhymes @SUTHouston.com
8/5	8:00 AM	Houston Technology Center: Free Fridays—Open Coworking at The Space	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
	7:30 AM	Houston-Hispanic Chamber of Commerce: Health Summit & Business Expo	Hilton Americas Hotel	Info @houstonhispanicchamber .com
	11:30 AM	Houston Business Journal: Smart Reader Leads Seminar	Houston Business Journal	klantz@bizjournals.com
8/10	11:30 AM	Houston West Chamber of Commerce: Business Wellness Lunch & Learn	The Wyndham Hotel	angela@hwcoc.org
	4:00 PM	Houston Technology Center: Tech Champs Midtown Mixer	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
	4:30 PM	Houston West Chamber of Commerce: JumpStart— Networking 101 Workshop	Seasons 52 Restaurant (City Centre)	sam@hwcoc.org
8/11	11:15 AM	Asian Chamber of Commerce: How to Do Business—Learn from Entrepreneurs	The HESS Club	Ktran@asianchamber- hou.org
	5:30 PM	Australian-American Chamber of Commerce Houston: August Sundowner	Australian-American Chamber of Commerce	info@aacc-houston.org



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	7:30 AM	Texas Medical Center: 4th Annual Houston Methodist Cancer Symposium	Houston Methodist Research Institute	Cme@houstonmethodist .org
8/12	8:00 AM	Houston Technology Center: Free Fridays—Open Coworking at The Space	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
	9:30 AM	Greater Houston Manufacturers Association: Business & Crowdfund Expo	NRG Center	ghmainfo@gmail.com
8/15	7:00AM	Houston Business Journal: The Entrepreneur Government Contracting Workshop	Norris Conference Center	houston@bizjournals.com
8/15	6:00 PM	French-American Chamber of Commerce: Networking Happy Hour	The Tasting Room at Uptown	Communication @facchouston.org
8/16	7:00 AM	The Entreprenuher Government Contracting Women's Conference—Contracting Workshop	Norris Conference Center	houston@bizjournals.com
0/15	7:00 AM	Houston West Chamber of Commerce: Business Over Breakfast	Norris Conference Center	angela@hwcoc.org
8/17	5:30 PM	Indo-American Chamber of Commerce: "NextGen Networking" Mixer	Americas Restaurant River Oaks	Nbhargava @thesdbgroup.com
	6:45 AM	Houston Business Journal: Power Breakfast Fort Bend Means Business	Marriott Hotel (Sugarland)	astuart@bizjournals.com
8/18	9:00 AM	Greater Houston Partnership: Member Engagement Meeting	Greater Houston Partnership	claycock@houston.org
	4:30 PM	Houston West Chamber of Commerce: Networking After Hours	ТВА	events@hwcoc.org
	7:00 AM	Houston West Chamber of Commerce: Bagels & Business	P.F. Chang's China Bistro (Highland Village)	stephanie@hwcoc.org
8/19	8:00 AM	Houston Technology Center: Free Fridays—Open Coworking at The Space	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
	11:30 AM	Houston Hispanic Chamber of Commerce: Business Seminar	Houston Hispanic Chamber of Commerce	info @houstonhispanicchamber. com
	7:00 AM	Houston West Chamber of Commerce: Bagels & Business	P.F. Chang's China Bistro (Highland Village)	stephanie@hwcoc.org
8/23	11:00 AM	U.SMexico Chamber of Commerce: Luncheon	The Woodlands Resort & Conference Center	petegarcia@usmcocgc.org
	1:00 PM	Gulf Coast Industry Forum: Globalization of the Gulf Coast—Positioning to Reach the World (through 8/25)	Pasadena Convention Center	Dana @allianceportregion.com
	6:30 PM	Rice University's Baker Institute for Public Policy: The 2016 Battle for Control of the White House—National Trends & Consequences for Texas	Rice University	glee@rice.edu



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	9:00 AM	Port of Houston Authority: Foreign Trade Zone Conference	Hilton Hotel (Post Oak)	smwilliams@poha.com
8/25	11:00 AM	National Association of Women Business Owners: August Monthly Networking Luncheon	Maggiano's Little Italy Restaurant	programs-education @nawbohouston.org
0/23	6:00 PM	Houston West Chamber of Commerce: West Houston Leadership Institute—Alumni Social 2017	Carmelo's Italian Restaurant	admin@whli.net
	7:00 PM	Asia Society Texas: Women's Leadership Series	Asia Society Texas Center	713-496-9901
8/26	8:00 AM	Houston Technology Center: Free Fridays—Open Coworking at The Space	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
8/27	10:00 AM	World Affairs Council of Greater Houston: TEDxSugarland 2016—Small Town, Huge Ideas	The Ismaili Jamatkhana & Center	713-755-7811
0/2/	7:00 PM	Greater Houston Partnership: 2016 Soirée—Inspiring Innovation	Hotel ZaZa	kculwell@houston.org
8/28	12:00 PM	BioHouston: 2016 COMC Conference—Commercialization of Micro, Nano & Emerging Technologies (through 8/31)	JW Marriott Hotel	aoustonASMEoffice @asme.org
8/29	7:00 PM	World Affairs Council of Greater Houston: The Woodlands Series—Rio's Post Olympic Political Games	The John Cooper School	713-755-7811
	8:00 AM	Houston Technology Center: Free Fridays—Open Coworking at The Space	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
8/30	11:00 AM	Houston East End Chamber of Commerce: Local Leaders Taking Charge Luncheon	Houston Marriott South (Hobby Airport)	paola@eecoc.org
	7:00 PM	World Affairs Council of Greater Houston: Rio's Post Olympic Political Games	The Junior League	713-755-7811
8/31	11:00 AM	Houston West Chamber of Commerce: Business Growth Workshop	Houston West Chamber of Commerce Building	sam@hwcoc.org
0/7	8:30 AM	Empresarios Latinos: Procurement Breakfast	El Alteno Taqueria Restaurant	713-774-5002
9/7	9:00 AM	Houston First: 2016 Tourism Summit	George R. Brown Convention Center	Info@ houstontourism summit.com
9/8	11:15 AM	Asian Chamber of Commerce: Health Care	HESS Club	Ktran @asianchamber-hou.org
	8:00 AM	Houston Technology Center: Free Fridays—Open Coworking at The Space	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
9/9	9:00 AM	Houston Arts Partners: Re-Designing the Future of Education Conference (through 9/10)	Alley Theatre	Inf@houstonarts partners.org
	11:30 AM	Houston Business Journal: Smart Reader Leads Seminar	Houston Business Journal	klantz@bizjournals.com



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9/15	8:00 AM	Rica Alliance: Energy & Clean Technology Venture Forum	Rice University	tvforum@rice.edu
9/16	8:00 AM	Houston Technology Center: Free Fridays—Open Coworking at The Space	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
9/17	8:00 AM	IANA Intermodal Expo: 2016 (through 9/18)	George R. Brown Convention Center	301-982-3400 (ext. 332)
9/21	7:00 PM	World Affairs Council of Greater Houston: Geo-political Transformations in the Middle East—Causes, Developments & Consequences	ТВА	713-522-7811
9/23	8:00 AM	Houston Technology Center: Free Fridays—Open Coworking at The Space	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
9/28	6:00 PM	U.SRussia Chamber of Commerce: 6th Annual Welcome Reception Honoring Russian Delegations to Breakbulk Americas 2016	Four Seasons Hotel	info@usrussiacc.org
9/29	9:00 AM	Greater Houston Manufacturers Association: Aramco— Deep Space, Deep Ocean (through 9/30)	JW Marriott Houston	info@DSDOforum.com
9/30	8:00 AM	Houston Technology Center: Free Fridays—Open Coworking at The Space	Houston Technology Center	713-658-1750
	6:30PM	2016 Spirit of Entrepreneurship: Asian Chamber Awards Dinner	Bayou City Event Center	713-782-7222

#### **International Cultural Events in Houston**

Date	Time	Event	Venue	Contact
8/2	7:00 PM	Italian Cultural & Community Center: Summer 2016 Film Festival—Good Morning, Babylon (1987)	Italian Cultural & Community Center	Programevents @iccchouston.com
8/3	7:00 PM	Asia Society Texas: Authors & Asia—"Street of Eternal Happiness" with Rob Schmitz	Brazos Bookstore	713-496-9901
8/6	7:30 PM	Asia Society Texas: Movie Showing— <i>Karate Kid (1984)</i>	Asia Society Texas Center	713-496-9901
8/8	9:30 AM	India House Houston: Summer Camp Bollywood Dance (through 8/12)	India House	vipin@indiahouseinc.org





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8/9	7:00 PM	Asia Society Texas: Reviving the Fallen Intellect—Ancient Vedanta's New Role in the Modern World	Asia Society Texas Center	713-496-9901
	8:00 AM	British-American Business Council: 3rd Annual Swing4Saltire Golf Outing	River Ridge Golf Club	info@babchouston.org
8/12	7:30 PM	Russian Cultural Center: Exhibition "The Evolution of the Soviet Posters" (through 10/15)	Russian Cultural Center Our Texas	ourtexasinc@gmail.com
8/14	10:30 AM	Italian Cultural & Community Center: Italian Mass & Pasta Lunch	Italian Cultural & Community Center	Programevents @iccchouston.com
8/14	5:30 PM	Italian Cultural & Community Center: Festa di Ferragosto	Italian Cultural & Community Center	Programevents @iccchouston.com
0/10	12:00 PM	Asia Society Texas: The Mystical Arts of Tibet featuring the Tibetan Monks from Drepung Loseling Monastey	Asia Society Texas Center	713-496-9901
8/18	6:30 PM	Bayou Land Conservancy: Wild & Scenic Film Festival	Alamo Drafthouse Cinema (Vintage Park)	info@bayouland.org
8/20	7:00 PM	Asia Society Texas: Sacred Music Sacred Dance for World Healing	Asia Society Texas Center	713-496-9901
8/27	8:00 PM	Asia Society Texas: Performing Asia The Odyssey—From Vietnam to America	Miller Outdoor Theatre	713-496-9901
	ТВА	Czech Center Museum Houston: 22nd Annual Benefit Gala	Czech Center Museum Houston	Czech@czechcenter.org
9/15	5:30 PM	Asia Society Texas: Screen Asia—SOLD, Human Trafficking is Modern Slavery (2014)	Asia Society Texas Center	713-496-9901
9/24	7:00 PM	Russian Cultural Center: 20th century Art Music Meets Jazz	Russian Cultural Center Our Texas	ourtexasinc@gmail.com
9/29	7:00 PM	German-American Chamber of Commerce: South Oktoberfest	Saint Arnold Brewing Company	rhadba@gaccsouth.com

#### **International Events Calendar**

Mayor's Office of Trade & International Affairs





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#### **International Conferences, Forums & Trade Missions**

Date	Event	Venue	Contact
7/31 - 8/3	United States-Panama Business Council: Enhancing Opportunities from the Panama Canal expansion	Panama	uspanama@msn.com
8/2 - 8/4	Society for Petroleum Engineers: Nigeria Annual International Conference & Exhibition	Lagos, Nigeria	spelagos@gmail.com
8/22 - 8/24	International Education Association of South Africa Global Conference	South Africa	Admin@ieasa.studysa.org
8/22 - 8/24	International Association of Drilling Contractors & Society of Petroleum Engineers: Asia Pacific Drilling Technology Conference & Exhibition	Singapore	spekl@spe.org
8/24-8/25	Economic Alliance of Port of Houston: 2016 Gulf Coast Industry Forum	Pasadena, Texas	Dana @allianceportregion.com
8/24 - 8/26	Society for Petroleum Engineers: Asia Pacific Hydraulic Fracking Conference	Beijing, China	spehou@spe.org
9/6 - 9/13	US Commercial Service: Trade Winds Latin America— Business Development Conference & Trade Mission	Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay	tradewinds@trade.gov
9/26-9/27	2016 C3 Business & Healthcare Summits	New York City, New York	info@bilateralchamber,org
10/5 - 10/8	Green Business for Sustainability Conference 2016	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	lgem @greentechmalaysia.my

The International Events Calendar is produced by the Mayor's Office of Trade & International Affairs. Please submit any events you would like included on the calendar to paul.cuclis@houstontx.gov.